

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

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BY FACSIMILE TELECOPIER

Steven M. Gerber 666 Fifth Avenue, 26th Floor New York, New York 10103

> MUR 5429, Abraham Chehebar RE:

Dear Mr. Gerber:

Pursuant to your written request, dated April 23, 2004, the Office of General Counsel has granted your request for an extension to respond to the Commission's Reason to Believe finding and Factual and Legal Analysis. We are extending the time for response based on your representation that your client fully intends to conciliate this matter. Accordingly, your response is now due by the close of business on April 30, 2004.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1573.

Sincerely,

Beth N. Mizuno

Attorney